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DALI MOTIF®

In the loudspeaker arena, a battle is raging. On the one hand, design-oriented brands hope that you will be so dazzled by a shiny, sexy exterior that you forgive the mediocre sound on offer. Then there are performance-oriented brands that expect you to clutter your living space with large boxes as the price of admission for a thrilling, realistic viewing and listening experience.

Meanwhile, in a brave new world of ultra-flat, wall-mounted TV screens, most of us dream of invisible audio systems that present music and movies out of thin air, as if by magic. Unfortunately, when we awake from that impossible dream, hard choices have to be made in the real world.

We are typically forced to choose between appearance and performance and all too often, style wins out at the expense of substance, as sound quality is unceremoniously sacrificed on the altar of design.

But it doesn't have to be that way anymore. At DALI, we refuse to accept the conflict between appearance and performance and all the compromises that entails. Rising to the challenge, we envisioned a loudspeaker that would be as pleasing to the eye as it is to the ear, an elegant work of art of minimal dimensions, yet capable of big, no-compromise sound for all your stereo and surround needs.

Now, with DALI MOTIF, you really can have it both ways.

DALI MOTIF is the ideal fusion of art and science, combining aspirational levels of creativity, imagination and vision to match our technical skills and expertise in the fields of acoustics and furniture making.

It should come as no surprise that this breakthrough concept is brought to you by DALI. After all, throughout our 25-year history of creating and engineering high-performance loudspeakers in Scandinavia, we have become attuned to the needs and wishes of perhaps the most style-conscious people in the world.

Read more about DALI MOTIF in the following pages. And more importantly, hear more at your local authorised DALI dealer.

DALI MOTIF is what happens when you think outside the box.

Enjoy!



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MOTIF® LCR

28 mm Soft dome tweeter | Dual 4.5" bass/mid drivers | Diecast aluminium cabinet | Click'n Connect integral wall mount | 78 - 25,000 Hz | H 38.5 x W 15.7 x D 10.0 cm | 3.6 kg | H 15.2 x W 6.2 x D 3.9" | 7.8 lb

DALI MOTIF is proof positive that, when done right, form and function can be allies instead of mortal enemies. The fluid, organic lines of the diecast aluminium MOTIF enclosure is a perfect example. The distinctive styling and curved forms are much more than artistic whims. They also provide enhanced structural integrity, reduced vibration and no parallel surfaces, all key elements in the pure, musical tone of these masterful loudspeakers.

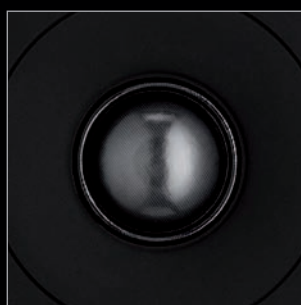
MOTIF reaps the full benefits of DALI's long-standing collaboration with fresh, creative Scandinavian design talent, as well as decades of experience at the cutting edge of technological innovation. DALI MOTIF combines advanced driver and materials technologies developed for the acclaimed DALI IKON and MENTOR series with groundbreaking metal body work pioneered for the popular DALI PHANTOM series.

The solid diecast aluminium casing in black or white high gloss lacquer features stylish chrome trim and a protective front grille held firmly in place by 20 neodymium magnets for a smooth, seamless whole.

The resulting wall-mount sculpture is worthy of a place in any contemporary interior.

With the specially developed integral wall bracket, DALI MOTIF appears to float freely against the wall. The speaker can be positioned vertically or horizontally to suit your personal taste and you even have the option of concealing wiring behind the wall.

Partnered with a flatscreen TV or as the central component in a multi-room sound system, in stereo or surround, for music or movies, the versatile DALI MOTIF is the stylish answer to all your home entertainment needs.



- **Low-Loss Drivers** | The dual 4.5" bass/mid drivers employ low-mass paper cones with wood fibre reinforcement. This unique compound, originally developed for our legendary top of the line EUPHONIA Series, ensures lightning-fast response, transforming the tiniest electrical signal to subtle musical detail.
- **Oversized Soft Dome Tweeter** | The 28 mm/1.1" soft dome tweeter incorporates a powerful neodymium magnet system with integrated heat sink. Built on a 28 mm voice coil, the drive unit provides enhanced power handling, both continuously and instantaneously, as well as lower power compression.



DALI Subwoofers

MENTOR SUB 10" long-stroke woofer | 300 W Class D amplifier | Remote control | 25 - 250 Hz | H 36.5 x W 33.0 x D 33.0 cm | 24.2 kg | H 14.4 x W 13.0 x D 13.0" | 53.4 lb

BASIS 100 10" long-stroke woofer | 32 - 150 Hz | 100 W Class A/B amplifier | H 34.0 x W 32.0 x D 37.0 cm | 14.0 kg | H 13.4 x W 12.6 x D 14.6" | 30.9 lb

For bass-heavy musical styles, for larger rooms or for no holds barred stereo or surround, your DALI MOTIF loudspeakers can be partnered with a handsome, compact DALI subwoofer for extended deep bass weight and authority.

DALI MENTOR SUB

Designed to extract the best from both movies and music. It can shake the room with film effects, while at the same time offering the speed and precision required for music reproduction to a high standard. Comes with remote control to control of volume, frequency cut-off as well as phase.

DALI BASIS 100

This compact high-performance subwoofer is a worthy partner for the DALI MOTIF with ample onboard amplifier power to provide extended bass response with full force and impact.



■ **Diecast Aluminium Cabinet** | The metal body of the DALI MOTIF offers far greater tensile strength than conventional fibreboard or plastic. The high mass absorbs vibration and the non-parallel surfaces eliminate standing waves for outstanding sonic purity.

■ **Neodymium Magnet System** | For a sculptural organic form with seamless integration of the MOTIF housing and the protective front grille, the grille is attached to the loudspeaker using an array of 20 neodymium magnets.







MOTIF® Left/Right Table Stand

H 28.0 x W 18.0 x D 18.4 cm | 2.0 kg/4.4 lb
Made in black satin steel finish.
Distance from table to top of speaker: 42.5 cm



MOTIF® Floor Stand

Base: H 4.0 x W 29.6 x D 38.0 cm | 5.0 kg/11.0 lb
Tube: H 99.0 x W 9.0 x D 1.2 cm | 2.0 kg/7.8 lb
Distance from floor to top of speaker: 112.5 cm
Made with anodised aluminium riser and concealed cable channel. Base in black satin steel finish.



MOTIF® Center Table Stand

H 18.2 x W 18.0 x D 18.4 cm | 1.5 kg/3.3 lb
Made in black satin steel finish.
Distance from table to top of speaker: 21.0 cm



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For installations where wall-mounting (highly recommended) is not possible, DALI offers stylish matching table and floor stands.





Just Click'n Connect

The stylish black fabric front grille attaches seamlessly to the loudspeaker with a concealed array of 20 neodymium magnets. The magnetic assembly system ensures perfect fit and finish for the protective front. This simple, smart solution also allows fast, easy removal or mounting of the front grille.



Discretion and Style

When easily and safely mounted on the exclusive DALI MOTIF wall bracket, the speaker extends a mere 11.5 cm (4,6") out from the wall. For ultimate safety, the release switch that detaches the speaker from the wall bracket can be conveniently locked in place with an Allen key (included).



Integrity and Strength

Unlike conventional speaker cabinets DALI MOTIF's streamlined solid diecast aluminium shell utilizes a double baffle construction with a soft, anti-resonant rubber coating and integral internal bracing for extreme structural integrity and strength.



- **Wall Bracket** | DALI MOTIF incorporates a unique proprietary wall bracket design (patent pending) that creates a firm, lasting connection for secure, unobtrusive wall mounting. The bracket is compatible with vertical or horizontal mounting of the DALI MOTIF.
- **Click'n Connect** | The wall bracket incorporates gold-plated 4 mm Click'n Connect pins for foolproof connectivity with correct signal polarity every time. This proprietary connector ensures optimal signal flow between amplifier and loudspeaker.





The Magic of Pure Sound

Creating superior sound has always been the cornerstone in our mission to deliver the best music experience possible. Exploring, testing and developing new ways to reproduce sound using the latest technology is what we live for at DALI.

Our skilled “sound creators” are driven by raw enthusiasm and follow the DALI sound philosophy in all aspects when creating a DALI loudspeaker:

3D Audio | DALI’s time coherence and low-loss technologies create a transparent, holographic, three-dimensional soundstage.

Amplifier Optimized | DALI’s linear impedance design ensures an audible reduction of amplifier instability and coloration.

Time Coherence | The unique DALI drivers, optimized cabinets and carefully tuned crossovers ensure optimal time coherence in the reproduced sound.

Wide Dispersion | DALI designs drivers and crossovers to produce wide, even sound dispersion, resulting in outstanding room integration, a larger sweet spot and a wider listening area.

Low Resonance Cabinets | Specially designed cabinets reduce resonances and coloration of the sound for natural, realistic sound.

Hand Crafted | Hand crafted from the fitting of the cabinet to final electroacoustic testing, each and every speaker is personally approved and signed by the person who assembled it.

Since 1983, DALI – Danish Audiophile Loudspeaker Industries – has designed, developed and produced high performance Hi-Fi loudspeakers.

With a reputation for quality, reliability and integrity, DALI offers an exciting range to suit every taste from the ultimate performance speakers to the cost-conscious series.



DALI headquarters, Denmark



MOTIF® LCR features:

Diecast aluminium cabinet ■ Click'n Connect system ■ Soft dome tweeter
 Low loss drivers ■ Neodymium magnet system



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BASIS 100



MENTOR SUB

Frequency range +/- 3 dB [Hz]	78 - 25,000	32 - 150	25 - 250
Crossover frequency [Hz]	3,000	40 - 120	40 - 120
Sensitivity [2.83V/1m] [dB]	89.0	-	-
Nominal impedance [ohms]	6	15k	20k
Maximum SPL [dB]	107	109	111
Recommended Amp. Power [W]	15-120	-	-
Max. amplifier power output [Watt RMS]	-	130	500
Continuous IEC power output [Watt RMS]	-	100	300
High frequency driver [mm]	28	-	-
Low frequency drivers [inch]	2 x 4.5"	10" long stroke	10" long stroke
Enclosure type	Closed	Bass reflex	Closed
Terminals	Integrated in Click'n Connect wall mount	RCA	RCA
Recommended placement	On-wall/Stand	Floor	Floor
Magnetic Shielding	No	No	No
Standby power consumption [Watt]	-	2.0	1.5
Bass reflex tuning frequency [Hz]	-	32.5	-
Dimensions [HxWxD] [mm]	385 x 157 x 100	340 x 320 x 370	365 x 330 x 330
Dimensions [HxWxD] [inch]	15.2 x 6.2 x 3.9	13.4 x 12.6 x 14.6	14.4 x 13.0 x 13.0
Weight [kg/lbs]	3.5/7.7	14.0/30.9	22.4/49.3
Click'n Connect System	Wall mount	-	-
Finishes	Aluminum, high gloss lacquered white or black	Black vinyl	Cherry and Black ash
Black MOTIF	Comes with black front grille	-	-
White MOTIF	Comes with ICE front grille	-	-
Optional accessories:			
Floor stand	Silver and black satin	-	-
Center stand	Black satin	-	-
Left/right stand	Black satin	-	-
Front grilles	Available in black or ICE	-	-